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Record of Interview  
Via Electronic Filing

### **RECORD OF INTERVIEW**

Sir:

In response to the interview conducted on **30 October 2007**, please find a record of the interview below.

#### **Identification of Claims and Prior Art Discussed**

Applicant and Examiner discussed Deacon as applied to the independent claims of the instant application.

#### **Applicant's Arguments**

Applicant pointed out to Examiner that Deacon is dedicated to converting I/O port accesses into API calls, not **intercepting** a call to generate audio to a **non-three-dimensional audio API** from a non-three-dimensionally aware application and converting the call to a three-dimensional space. More

specifically, Deacon is cited precisely to show that a prior disclosure renders *intercepting API calls* obvious, but Deacon nowhere discloses intercepting API calls.

**Outcome of Interview**

Although no formal agreement was reached, Applicant agreed to re-evaluate claims for possible amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

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